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Supervisor Plans 4th Annual Fontana Health and Safety Fair

FONTANA -San Bernardino County Second District Supervisor Paul Biane's 4th Annual Fontana Health and Safety Fair will feature a number of free health services and safety products including immunization shots for young children, health screenings for all ages, kid's bicycle helmets, car safety seats, and gun locks.

The fair will be held on Saturday, May 20 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at Jack Bulik Park in Fontana. The previous fair in June attracted more than 5,000 people.

"The Health and Safety Fairs really serve a dual role," Biane said. "They provide people with free health screenings, safety information and safety products, which is the primary purpose, but the fairs also bring people together so they can get to know their neighbors and others who live in their community."

Free health screenings at the fair will include blood pressure, blood glucose, vision, and body fat tests. Parents should bring their child's immunization records to the fair in order to participate in the free immunization shots.

Parents can also get a free SafeAssured Child ID at the fair. The ID is a mini-CD that contains a digital copy of a child's photograph, voice and fingerprints. The ID makes it easy for parents to provide identification information to law enforcement if their child is lost or abducted. Additionally, the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department will distribute free gun locks and gun safety information, and California Highway Patrol will give away and install 100 child safety seats that were donated by Young Homes.

Entertainment at the fair will include a skateboard demonstration by Pharmacy Boardshop riders and Thai boxing demonstrations by Body Shots Inc. Free food and other refreshments will be served. Call the Second District office at (909) 945-4427 for more information about the fair.